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TAGS: PEPRE, MA, INIS, SO
SUBJ: PRESIDENT RATSIRAKA RECEIVES SOMALI DELEGATION:
SITUATION IN ANTANANARIVO.

1. ON JUNE 8 PRESIDENT RATSIRAKA RECEIVED SOMALI DELEGATION
CONSISTING OF MOHAMED ADEN SHIEK, CHIEF OF IDEOLOGICAL BUREAU
OF SOMALI REVOLUTIONARY SOCIALIST PARTY, AND ABDI YSSOUF. RECEPTION OF
DELEGATION, DURING WHICH MESSAGE FROM SIAD BARRE WAS CONVEYED,
WAS SHOWN THAT NIGHT ON TELEVISION, WHICH WAS FIRST APPEARANCE IN
THE MEDIA FOR RATSIRAKA SINCE BEFORE THE MAY 29 RIOTS.

2. ACCORDING TO OFFICIAL PRESS BULLETIN ACCOUNT OF MEETING,
RATSIRAKA REFERRED TO MAY 29-30 DISORDERS BY SAYING THAT "NORMALLY
HEALTHY BODY OF MADAGASCAR HAD SUFFERED FROM A FEVER CAUSED BY
A VIRUS COMING FROM OUTSIDE, FROM WHICH NO PROGRESSIVE AFRICAN
COUNTRY IS IMMUNE, AS THERE ARE ALWAYS MANEUVERS UNDERWAY TO
DESTABILIZE AND RECOLONIZE AFRICA." SOMALI DELEGATE REPLIED IN
KIND REFERRING SPECIFICALLY TO MANEUVERS AGAINST THE COUNTRIES OF
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3. CITY REMAINS QUIET. THERE HAVE BEEN SOME MEETINGS OF STUDENTS
CONDUCTED IN ORDERLY FASHION. CURFEW CONTINUES AND MILITARY STILL
VERY MUCH IN EVIDENCE. SPEECHES AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND FOR
RATSIRAKA CONTINUE TO BE MADE IN THE CITY AND IN PROVINCES AND
MESSAGES OF SUPPORT FOR PRESIDENT CONTINUE TO COME IN FROM ALL

PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

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